A 30 to I Chance Won the First at Guttenburg.

A WILD PLUNGE ON DEFAULTER

Peril Defeated Gloster, but Sunday Helped the Talent Out.

GUTTENBURG RACE TRACE, Feb. 11.—The ces at Guttenburg to-day were well attended. The crowd was larger than usual, and the clear, warm weather served to aitract many fair enthusiasts of winter racing. The track was still in a very heavy condition, and the talent were forced to hunt for mud larks among the excellent programme was very little yacht sailing, signed by Elbridge T. Gerry,

The first race saw a plunge on Defaulter that excelled anything seen on the track this year. He opened at 10 to 1, and in some books 12 to 1 was quoted. Then some party commenced playing him, and the odds tumbled all over the ring at once, and the public taking the one rushed in to get the good thing.
They tumbled all over each other in their

eagerness to get their money on, and when the ruen finally stopped Defaulter was 2 to 1. He raised slightly and closed at 4 to 1. Milton with Foster up was favorite and was strongly backed, as was also Renounce and Marty B. The winner turned up in Blanche, who, it some books, went begging at 100 to 1. In many cases 50 to 1 was freely quoted. She easily from Village Maid another long

The bookmakers must have won thousand of dollars, as many had clear sheets

Detautter out up so badly at the post that all his chances were spoiled.

Gloster was an even-money favorite in the second race, and the talent tried to get even on him for the losses they sustained in the first race. A few followed Tarat, who had the mount on Repeater, and made him second choice. Peril was a good third. Peril got sway in front and stayed there, beating the favorite a length and a half. Catherine B.

Wita Dalsyrian and Red Elm out of the third race it looked a glit for Sunday, and the spec-ulators encerfully planked their money down at the short odds of 9 to 1 on. Those who did not care to invest on red-ho

favorites selected Goldstep to beat him and she was a good second choice. Kimberley and Glitter IL were also played. The favorite won easily ;

Trestle a neck for the place.

FIRST BACK. For beaten horses; five furlongs.

Wints. Jockers. Straight Place.
98. H. Jones. 39-1 10-1
1 99. Marshali. 13-5 15-1
12. Barbee. 3-1 even.
115. Dugan. 3-1 even.
111. McDermott. 9-2 6-6
100. Clayton. 8-1 3-1
108. Jones. 12-1 5-1
118. Stoval. 30-1 10-1 9 Girondes. 118. Stoval. 30-1 10-1
Defaniter delayed the start, and when they
finally got away it was in a straggling order.
Marty B. had the best of it, but in the first
furiong Blanche shot to the front and led the
way to the turn, with Village Maid, Marty
B., Milton and Defaulter next.
Blanche took the field around the turn at a
lively pace and at the head of the stretch was
still in iront, with Village Maid, Milton and
Defaulter close up. Defaulter close up.

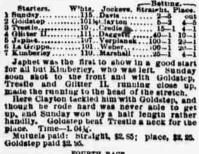
Every one expected to see Blanche quit in the stretch, but she still kept going easy, and finally won by a neck from Village Maid, who beat Milton half a length, Time—1.04%.

Mutuels paid: Straight, 198, 10; place, \$115,70. Village Maid paid \$15,70.

SECOND RACE. Six and a half furlongs.

Mutuela paid: Straight, \$7.05; place, \$3.25. THIRD BACK.

Five furlongs.



Selling allowances.

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Starters.		Straight. Place
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b Mey Queen.		
B Groomsman	103 H. Penn	y10 1 4
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Mart Gibson	was the first to	show, follow

by Germanic and May Queen, with the other well buncaed.
In the first furlong Germanic went to the front and made the running ground the turn with Mart Gibson, Pat Moran, May Queen and is close up.

lengths from M.FR Gibson, who was three belore Pat Maran. Time—1.03. Mutuels paid: Straight, \$5.70; place, \$3.60. Mart Gibson paid \$10.50.

Rearte was first away followed by Brown Duke and Outbound; the last named under a suiff pull. This was the order until the head of the stretch was reached when Jones seut Outbound out and quickly passing the others won, pulled un, by three lengths from Rearts, who beat Brown Duke three lengths. Time—247.

2.47. Mutuels paid: Straight, \$5.80; place, \$2.75 Ecarte paid \$2.45. SIXTH RACE.

Won by Oberlin, Sandstone Duke John third. Time—1. 35%.

HORSE-CARS ON THE PARK.

Various Matters Decided at the Park Commissioner's Meeting.

The Park Board to-day adopted the following resolutions relative to the death of Comsaioner Hutchins:

missioner Hutchins:

Resolved, That the Park Department expresses its some of having lost in Mr. Hutchins an officer whose labors in behalf of the parks, bearinging at the outset of their formation, have been among the most devoted and vaitable in their history.

Mr. Hutchins's sympathy with the work of the parks, his broad judgment and large loval equipment made him a conspicuously useful Commissioner, and the Park Department appreciates keenly the merit of this portion of his services to the public interests.

President Gallus and Commissioners Dana

President Gallup and Commissioners Dans and straus were present.

A petition for the establishment in Cen-tral Park of a lake for minature York Yacht Club, was referred to Supt. Par-

Thomas J. Brown was authorized to operate a horac-car on the surface railway through the transverse road, John Pierce, being the lowest bidder at \$562,500, was voted the contract for building the projected north extension to the Metropolitan Museum of Art.

PIERCE GETS THE OFFICE.

Nominated and Confirmed as the Superintendent of Insurance.

(SPECIAL TO THE SYNNING WORLD.)
ALBANY, Feb. 11.—Ex-Senator James P.
Pierce has been nominated by the Governor and confirmed by the Senate as Superinten ent of Insurance, by a vote of 17 to 18. Senator O'Connor, Republican, was abs and Senator Emerson did not vote at all.

Ex-Senator James F. Pierce was formerly of Brooklyn, but of late years has been at least a hotel resident of New York.

He has been anxious for more than a year to succeed Robert Maxwell as Superintendent of the State Insurance Department. Maxwell's term expired in 1890, and he has been holding the office since then becades the Republican Senate would not confirm any nominee the Governor might send in.

In his day Pierce was one of the most popular members of the Senate, and is said to have had more friends among the old Republican members than any other Democrat in the State.

Braight Place Held by Coroner Levy, He Sued Out Habeas Corpus.

> refused to testify before him at the inquest on rested this forenoon on Coroner Lavy's war-

He was taken before Coroner Levy, who adngs natil 2 15 this afternoon. In the meantime Summer's counsel, Ambro

Purdy, went before Justice Andrews in Supreme Court Chambers and swore out a writ of habean corpus for his client, returnable at 2.30 o'clock.

The question to be decided by Justice An-

drews is whether the proceedings before the Coroner, sitting without a jury, are legal. Pending this decision Sumner was placed in charge of Special Deputy Sheriff Lehman.

TO TURN DOWN REILLY.

Fight Renewed Between Tamman Factions in the Fourteenth. The fight against the Tammany leadership of John Reilly in the Fourteenth District, which was supposed to have been declared off, has

A meeting for the purpose of saming a Tammany Hall Committee opposed to the Reilly interests will be held in J. fferson Hall, 528 East Eleventh street, to-night.

This Committee will then present its claim for recognition to the special committee to be appointed by Chairman Gliroy for the reorganization of the district.

COMMISSIONER COMING HOME.

The Non-Arrival of the Commissio Stops the Hamilton Investigation.

ISPECIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD. I HELENA, MOD., Feb. 1L -D. N. Carvaino the commusioner appointed to investigate the death of Robert Ray Hamilton, has left fo New York. Owing to some hitch in that city. his commission failed to arrive. The Wester end of the case is consequently postponed.

Winners at Gloucester. [SPECIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD.]
GLOUCESTER, N. J., Feb. 11. —The racing was continued here to-day with the following re-

First Race-Three-quarters of a mile. -Gadabout won, King Solomon second and Lorilars third. Time—1.15.

Second Race—Three-quarters of a mile,—Gilsicaway won, Madge L second and Marigoid third. Time—1.15.

Third Race—Seven-eighths of a mile.—Giehola won, Donsman second and Raiph Black third. Time—1.39%.

Ask your groop for SNOW FLARE HOMINY, pre-pared in 15 minutes. We other ceres like it. So. as pounder 10c, packages. METHATH SEOS., Whose-sale Agents, 67 Fare piece. "."

Breeding Stable.

She Retires with Her Great Wall Street Traders Encounter a Record Still Unbroken.

She Will Probably Be Bred to the Stalilon Ausel.

SPECIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD. PITTSBURG, Feb. 11.-Robert Bonner's intination that his great mare Maud S. would be ored for the first time during the coming sea son has stirred up a great deal of interest and speculation among the horsemen.

Mr. Bonner's remark was made during a con-versation with a reporter in this city, prelous to his departure for Athens, Ga. "Will Maud & ever be seen again in case her record is lowered?" asked the reporter.

such speed, " said Mr. Bonner. "She has been at the head of the list long enough to earn a rest from any more speed trials. In fact, I have been thinking very seriously of breeding her this year."

At this point, David McCargo, who had charge of the party, whisked Mr. Bonner away before he could give any further infor-The speculation here has been as to Mr

Bonner's choice of a stallion. Mr. J. S. Coxey, who bought Acolyte for \$40,000, said he would give \$12,000 if his horse might be the chosen candidate.

An EVENING WORLD reporter called to-day upon Mr. Robert Edward Bonner, the son of Maud S. 's owner. That gentleman said there had been considerable talk upon the subject of breeding Mand & this Winter, but that he was not prepared to give out anything for publica-After looking at the despatch from Pittaburg,

however, be said: then he has fully made up his mind on the Ausel is a bay stallion, record 2.20, foaled in

880, by Electioneer, dam Annette, by Lexing-Lexington, the great running horse and sire runners, got the grandam of Sunol, 2 10%,

at three years old. Russell, grandam of Maud S., was a laughter of Boston, the sire of Lexington. Mand S., the queen of trotters, is now sixteen years old and in periect health and trim. She retires from the track with her magnificent record of 2, 98% unapproached.

This record was made on the track at Glenville, O., July 20, 1885. In making it, Mand S. beat Jay-Kye-See's 2, 10%, made at Philadelphia Aug. 16, 1884.

LA GASCOGNE SAFE IN PORT.

The French line steamship La Gascogne three days overdue, arrived at her pier, at th toot of Morton street, at 11 o'clock this morn ing. She was sighted off Fire Island at 10.3 last night. She anchored outside the bar al night and reached Quarantine at 8 o'clock thi

no outward signs of having encountered any especially heavy weather on the voyage. To an Evening World reporter Capt. Sandelay was due to an accident to the ship's ma cainery. Three hours out from Havre, Jan. 31, while steaming at the rate of seventeen

The ship lay to for six hours, while the ma shaft. The rest of the voyage was made under the forward and amidships engines, which re

eventral.

La Gascogne had 227 passengers, among whom were Archbishop Faber, of Montreal, and his secretary, Abbe Archambeau; M. Gebert and family, Mr. and Mrs. Burkhardt and M. Montaignac, the purchaser of Millet's "Angelua."

CAPT. CONNER RETIRES.

Unexpected Change in the Manage ment of the St. James Hotel.

The announcement was made to-day tha Capt. William Conner has retired from the management of the St. James Hotel. Twenty his name will continue to appear as proprietor, a new manager will be selected in a few days It is said that the change is due to Capt. Conner's financial embarrassment.

The St. James Hotel property is rented to Capt. Conner for \$55,000 per annum, and the capt. Conner for so, ow per annum, and the present lease has three years to run.

Capt. Conner is well known in turf and theatrical circles. He was at one time John McCuliough's manager. He succeeded "Plunger" Walton as landlord of the St. James. James.
At the St. James Hotel the report of Capt.
Conner's retirement was discredited, but not
officially denied.

GODDARD WHIPS CHOYINSKI.

A Four-Round Fight at Catchweights

Before the Sydney Club. BY CABLE TO THE PRESS NEWS ASSOCIATION.1 SYDNEY, N. S. W., Feb. 11. - Joe Goddard, hampion of the Barrier, and Joe Choyinski, of an Francisco, fought at the Sydney Athletic Club last evening at catchweight for a purse

Goddard won in the fourth round.

NEW TRIAL FOR WEBSTER.

Supreme Court Sets Aside the Ver dict and His Sentence.

The General Term of the Supreme Court to day reversed the judgment of conviction against Actor Charles Webster, who shot and killed Robert McNeill, and has ordered a new trial.

Webster was conviced of mansiaughter in the first degree and was sentenced to seven and a half years in State prison.

COMPTROLLER MYERS ILL

Laid Up with a Severe Cold, Caught

at Mr. Hutchins's Funeral. Comptroller Myers is confined to his house by a severe cold, contracted while attending the funeral of Park Commissioner Hutchins yesterday.

TO TROT NO MORE. WALL ST. AT DEATH'S DOOR.

Mand S. to Leave the Track for the STOCK REPORTS. Gen. Sherman's Physicians Give

Waiting Market To-Day.

Atchison Securities Depressed by Persistent Operators.

More Activity in the Closing Hours -The Quotations.

The stock market was to-day a waiting one. Atchison securities are affected by the refusal of the Company to stand by the agreement o sustain rates.

Operators are selling the stock and expect to see the road forced into the combination. The general market was very duil, the fluctuations being confined to the fractions. sales of stocks up to noon were only 61,000

The stock market in the late trading was tive. The decline in prices ranged from & to Missouri Pacific and Rock Island scoring the

Bank and the North Middlesex Savings Bank, Bank and the North Middlesex Savings Bank, of Aver, Mass., helped unsettle things, and gave the bears an opportunity to raid the list. The Treasury De ariment purchased 444,000 ounces of silver at \$101.80 a \$101.90. The offerings were \$25,000 ounces.
Sterling exchange was stronger, nominal rates being advanced to 4.87 and 4.89.
The total sales at the New York Stock Exchange to-day were 185,000 shares of listed stocks, \$65.00 ounces of silver, and 50,000 barrels of Fennaylvania oil.

The Closing Quotations.

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ч	Atch., Top. & Santa Fe., Ruff., Roen. & Pitts., Buff., Roch. & Pitts., pref.	77	3634	30	36
1	Canada Southern	61%	6214	514	514
	Chesapeake & Obio	1912	194	194	19%
П	Ches. & Ohio 1st ofd	834	5334	34	89 N
	Ches. & Ohio 2d pfd Chicago Gas.	41%	4134	AUL	401
1	Chie . Bur. & Quincy	8736	87.56	86%	4014 863
٠	Coleago & Alton	127	127	1074	127
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•	Edison Gen, Electric	108	108	107%	1075
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	Oregon Improvement		117%	29	206
•	Philadelphia & Reading	. 37	37.14	37	373
e	Peo., Dec. & Evansville.	33 V	194	19%	193
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Mining Stocks The following are the closing quotations mining stocks at the Consolidated Exchang to-day:

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SUGAR TRUST INQUIRY.

Senator Erwin's Committee to Begin Its Work in This City Next Friday. The Senate Committee on General Laws, comprising Senators Erwin (Chairman), Vedand Broadway, an investigation of the Sugar a lawyer in the office of Evarts, Choate & Bea-

The resolution under which this overhauling of the methods of the Trust is authorized, pro-vides that the inquiry must be completed not later than March 15. under the laws of another State, and urged that the situation called for legislation. John E. Parsons, counsel for the Trust, says that any committee best on acquiring informa-tion would be welcomed, and all facilities ex-

MAJOR M'KINLEY'S KEYNOTE.

[SPECIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD. WASHINGTON, Feb. 11.—Congressman Mc-Kinley left for Toledo, O., to-day, and will speak there to-morrow evening at a banquet to be given by the Lincoln Club.

His speech, it is understood, will be accepted as the Republican keynote of the Guberna acted as the Republican keynote of the Gubernatorial campaign of next Fail.

No Hope of His Recovery.

He Lies Unconscious and Steadily Grows Weaker.

An Alarming Turn to His Illness Made Apparent This Morning.

All His Family, Save His Eldest Son, Are at His Bedside.

Sherman's physicians stated that there was no change for the better, but that he continued to grow weaker. Dr. Alexander says there is

of coma and cannot be roused. Though his son, Lawyer Sperman, thinks there has been weak and lower. Business was also more ac- a slight improvement, there is little ground on which to base any hope of recovery. 1 r. M. -Dr. R. H. Green, Dr. Alexander's

assistant, issued a bulletin, stating that there The reported failures of the First National had been no decided change, but that a very slight improvement was noticed. 2 r. M. -The condition of Gen. Sherman i unchanged either for better or worse.

4 P. M. — A slight improvement in Gen. Sher man's condition is visible. Gen. William Tecumseh Sherman is lying

to-day at the point of death at his home, 75



GRN. WILLIAM TROUMSET BHERMAN. The seriouspess of his condition was not fully realized until late last night, and although the old hero has been lying ill in his bed for nearly a week the public knew nothing whatever of his slokness.

formed of his condition, which day before yesterday was considered so critical that they were all sent for heatily by Dr. Charles G. Alexander, his attending physiciar. At 10 o'clock this morning he was gradually growing weaker, as reported by his daughter,

Only the members of his family were in-

ing, she said, his condition had been steadily The General, she said, was unconscious, but Dr. Alexander, who is constantly in attendance Dr. Janeway was called in, his face and neck upon him, still had some faint hopes of his were very much swollen and inflamed, and it distinguished callers at the House recovery

Gen. Sherman's son, Lawyer P. T. Sherman, thought that his father was not really unconscious, but had a knowledge of what was taking place about him, although he was time his condition for awhile was considered

Dr. Edward G. Janeway did not visit the house until 10. 15 this morning. He remaine only a few minutes, and reported the putient as no better, but intimated that he was constantly growing weaker. HIS PAMILY AT HIS BEDSIDE.

His two married daughters, Mrs. A. M. Thackars, of Rosemont, Pa., and Mrs. T. W. Fitch, of Pittaburg, arrived in this city two Miss Rachel Sherman, the General's two unmarried daughters, and Lawyer Philomel T. Sherman, of 52 Wall street, who live with him,

have been in constant attendance at their and spent the day at the house in Seventy-Brat last night, but the General's condition changed evening that he decided to remain in town. ended by his friend Dr. Alexander, who was formerly a surgeon in the United States Army,

every day this week. der, Coggeshall, Van Gorder, Chase, Brown ing in Europe, watched about his bedside. and Cantor, will begin next Friday at 10 a. x. There were his four daughters, and his youngat the Hotel Metropole, Forty-second street est son, Philomel Tecumsen Sherman, who is

man, and Senator Sherman. The latter remained at the house until after midnight waiting anxiously for some indica- the sick man, and an attendant is stationed at tions of improvement, which never came. Then he went to the house of some friends anxious callers.

with whom he was staying, but returned again In the office, which the General called hi In urging the passage of the resolution of in-quiry. Senator Erwin detailed the alleged methods of the Trust in doing business in this State, after having been dissolved under its laws, by virtue of a charter and reorganization that the state of the s cable of his father's condition. Mrs. Colgate Hoyt, the banker's wife, was

> the house this morning. Dr. Alexander remained with the sufferer all night, long after Dr. Janeway had gone away, watcaful of the slightest symptoms. He looked very anxious and gloomy when a reporter of THE EVENING WORLD SAW him this orning at 8 o'clock.

among the friends of the family who called at

and it is not too much to say that his coudi-"He is very much worse than he was yes. Georgia, and which he often used to com

SOME VALENTINES.



ALL WORK AND NO PLAY MAKES JACK A DULL BOY YET THERE SHOULD BE A LIMIT TO PLY ASURE AND JOY. THERE'S WORK TO BE DONE IN THE CITY JUST NOW WHICH YOUR DEPUTIES SEEM NOT TO UNDERSTAND HOW. SO GET BACK TO YOUR WARK BY THE STRAIGHTEST BIE LINE OR ELSE YOU'LL NO MORE BE MY VALENTINE .

From Father Knickerbocker

terday morning, and the slight improvement which we observed during the day has been information about that memorable campaign. "The change came after midnight, and ered with framed photographs of the famous

since that time he seems to have been gradually "The worst feature of the case is that he during the war, hongs at one side of the door- on even terms with the leader, Armiel. In seems to lie most of the time in a state of way leading to the hall, and on either side of another pard the Count's nose was in front,

"The only nourishment be has taken for several days has been whiskey and milk, and at times he has been delirious, especially dur-ing the last twenty-four hours. He does not seem to suffer much pain, and it is this weak-

which Gep. Sherman was suffering. He caught a very severe cold Wednesda evening of last week, when he attended a heatre party. The performance which he attended was that of "Poor Jonathan," at the Casino. On that occasion, a special invitation had been sent out to the military officers in the city, and

Dr. Atexander said that it was facial cry-

sipelas, accompanied by a slow fever, with

boxes with a party of friends. He seemed to be then in the best of bealth and spirits and apparently enjoyed the performance immensely, especially that of Lillian Russell and the pretty chorus girls, for whom the war-scarred veteran has always had an ex-He returned to his home immediately after

Gen. Sherman sat in one of the processium

the performance, and the next morning when he woke up he found that he had taken a severe cold. Tals gave him no anxiety at first, but when on the following day the symptoms of erysip-elas began to show themselves he sent for Dr.

Alexander. Sunday he was worse, and Monday, when

Do you anticipate any immediate crisis?

Gen. Sherman has not been out of his house

when at nome, is used as a reception-room for

visitors who come to inquire for the latest new

AT THE STRICKEN HOME.

There is a notice at the front door requesting the visitors not to ring the bell, as it disturbs

the door to answer at once the questions o

workroom, there is a deak in the centre, with

green-shaded drop light suspended from the

mentoes of his career as an officer in the army.

Among them are all the maps which he use

in his famous march to the sea throng

were lying upon it this morning.

"It is not a case when the crisis will

The General had an attack of the same kind THE DANGER IN HIS CASE. "For a man of Geo. Sherman's years (he

was seventy-one last Sunday), said Dr. Alexander, this morning, "this disease is a very dangerous one, because it is difficult to treat. It is had enough for a younger man, who has the strength and vigor to withstand its insidi "Although the General has a constitution o up under the attack much longer.

asked the reporter. Yesterday Senator John Sherman, the Gencase, " replied Dr. Alexander, shaking his hear eral's brother, in spite of the most pressing saily. duties at Washington, came on to New York come and be passed for better or worse, but it street. He thtended to return to Washington Strength." The doctor said that he thought the worst so suddenly for the worse at a late hour in the would be known within the next twenty-fou Dr. Janeway was expected during the more Until Monday Gen. Sherman has been ating, when another consultation would be held

but so long as there was no change in the con out now Dr. Edward G. Janeway is also in dition of the patient all that could be done attendance, and consultations have been held Last night the entire family of the General, with the exception of his son, Rev. T. E. which he has fitted up in the basement of his Sherman, the Jesuit priest, who is now study home, and where he spent most of his time of the General's condition.

WORRE TRIS MORNING. "The General passed the worst night he has

tary trappings and uniform.

The room is comfortably and costly furpished, and a cheerful fire burns in the grate an opening, and quick as a flash he sent leeberg just at the left of the General's desk. Gen. Sherman lies in the front on the second Luna a short head, while the latter only beat floor. The shades are closely drawn, and no Armiel the same distance. It was as pretty a

SENATOR SHERMAN STILL HOPEFUL. Sherman. He was sitting by the fireplace in

ourse while his condition is serious, we note for the best. His family are greatly distressed, but Dr. Janeway assures us that his disease is not unusual or difficult to treat, and that everything possible is being done for him. I have been here since Monday."

While the family profess confidence and the

no immediate danger, Dr. Alexander has given up all hope.

could not say.

At 11. 30 the General was still in a state of come, from which he was at intervals aroused with considerable difficulty. Whiskey and milk was administered as nourishment.

UISHED CALLERS AT THE HOUSE. Wilson and Gen. O. O. Howard and Lieut. Treat, of his staff, had called to offer their sympathy to the family. Many telegrams of condolence have been re-

P. T. Sherman, the General's son, declines to make them public. A little after I o'clock Hiram Hitchcock, one of the proprietors of the Fifth Avenue Hotel and an old-time friend of the General, came

ceived from all over the country, but Lawyer

Mr. Hitchcock was of opinion that Gen. Sher-The event most feared by the physicians was tron, he is not as atrong as he once was, and that the crystpelas should reach the brain, but now I am afraid that he will be unable to stand it had not yet occurred. The heart, too, was

Never Received the Letter Ascribed to Henry Watterson.

ISPECIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD. tion was called to-day to the letter from Henry and advising him, in effect, to accept to natorship, make peace with Cleveland and let his Presidential ambition rest until 1996, he

"I never received any such letter. This is the first I have heard of any such thing.
"It must be a forgery. Mr. Watterson is a good Democrat and a gentleman, and I be lieve him incapable of addressing any such in sulting and impertment communication to me gery was probably intended to place me in a this State; but it will surely injure the cause i authors.

NEW SHIP SUBSIDY HOPES.

low celling. A number of unopened letters Reciprocity Treaties Believed There are two big bookcases entirely filling Furnish Strong Arguments. one side of the room, containing rows o (SPECIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD.)

WASHINGTON, Feb. 11.—The friends of the Shipping bill in the House are hopeful now of ters and the history of the Civil War. Many of getting up their bill again and passing it. them are biographical works, but the greater The new reciprocity treaties with Brazil and part are official documents, messages and despatches relating to the conduct of the war.

On the other side of the room are two tall the closests of drawers, in which are stored all his campaign maps and diagrams and other meaning for votes.

They hope to secure an allowance of two days for further discussion of the measure. campaign maps and diagrams and other me-

"Y. & S." Stick Licerice.

Good Races and Close Finishes at Guttenburg.

WHO'LL BE DUNDEE STARTER?

The Uncertainties of Insight-Teuton's Iliness.

Racing at Guttenburg yesterday was very The finishes in several events were well contested and the struggles of the racers up the stretch were of the order calcula rouse the spectators to the highest pitch of en-thusiasm. The finish in the last race was especially exciting, and when clever little Josh Jones forced his way through on the inner rail and just won the race by a bead, there was a wild burst of hurrans from the crowd that nearly equalled the roar of the thousands who watched Tenny gain upon Salvator in their celebrated match. Taral had the mount on Count Luna in the last race. Anderson was on Armiel and Joan Jones on Tee The two former had it out all the way up the

Generals and other officers of the civil war. stretch. Taral was saving Count Luna for a A large portrait of Gen. Grant, as he looked Enal effort, and in the last few yards he was coma, and can only be roused when food is it are half length portraits of Gen. Phil Sheri-administered. who on Iceberg was just behind, waiting to get through. Ten yards from the wire Josh saw one is in immediate attendance upon him ex- race as has been seen on the track since the meeting opened.

At 11 o'clock an Evening World reporter James Rows will not start the horses at the obtained an interview with Senator John new race course at Dunder, although he con-James Rowe will not start the horses at the obtained an interview with senator some
Sherman. He was sitting by the fireplace in
"Old Tecumseh's "favorite study in the
basement, quietly reading.

Chifton Association had heard of his intention esement, quietly reading.
"There is nothing much to say," said the and had notified him that his action would be Senstor. *I have seen the General, and of displeasing to them, inacmuch as he was under course while his condition is serious, we hope for the best. His family are greatly distressed. Dundee who will? There does not appear to

Josh Jones, it is reported, has signed with the visitors are all sasured that there is really Senator Hearst as first light weight jockey for

next season. Insight'was recently made the medium of an He has not been accessible to reporters since 9 o'clock this morning, but then he said positively that there was no hope and that he expected the worst very soon—just how soon he was at long odds, and very little money went on her. She romped in ahead of such

The five-year-old 1 Up to this hour Gen. Thomas Ewing, J. W. Brocck, who was mentioned in this column recently as having an excellent chance in the Brooklyn Handlesp at 100 pounds, is sick with recover in time, but his chance in the handle cap is gone.

The three-year-old cheatnut filly Flovia, formerly owned by Frank McCabe, has been sold to Fred Gebaard. The latter has named his new purchase Katalees.

It is said that George Taylor will ride the colt Gregory in the Suburban if the colt with stand the necessary preparation. Trainer Matt Allen, who was with Senator Hearst last year, has commenced sult against the latter for \$6,800, which, he claims, are 600 him for services rendered in training horses in the Senator's stable last year. Of this amount \$6,000 is due as asiary, the remainade being 10 per cent, of the stable's net surnings has year, \$21,400. Allen is now training for F. C. McLewee & Co.

Declarations for the Brooklyn and Suburbau handicaps are due on the Buts of this monta. As soon as the dissatiated owners have de-clared, everal preminent bookmakers will open a book on both events. a book on both events.

"Virginia" Bradley, whose other name is Richard, broke the ice resterday by winning two races. He has been in hard luckpil Winter, and though his horses were estered hearly every day he falled to secure a win. His victories yesterday were popular ones.

A bill has been introduced in the Pennsyl-rania Senate to legalize bookmaking on race Bessie K. ran a good race yesterday, and a five furiongs will about win the next time she

It is said that Billy Lakeland Sund y has no more heart than a waiting stick. Yesterday when Dalsyrian collect him be quit like a cur, and was fired badly at the end. Sunday is a half-miler. Over that distance it is folly to place reliance on him.

Semper Fidele, the crack filly of the Lebeler stable; Caseon, the crack three-year-old from Louisville, and Palestine, another good three-year-old, are very doubtful starters for the Kentneky Derby. All three horses will be acceptally prepared for the American below as Washington Park, Chicago.

There was a tremendous piture on Claudine yesterday. Just why this was so no one can fatnoin. Claudine always quits at 600 fatnoins, and ale was never known to win at six furlongs. Her backers were dissearteded when they saw her struggle in last, lengths behind her field. DIXON ACCEPTS THE OFFER.

SPECIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD. of George Dixon, has accepted the teresa offered by the Hudson Athletic Club, of Jers y City, to fight McCarthy, Peb. 20, for a \$4,001